

Subject: Re: West Santa Ana Branch Corridor
From: "Joanne Kumamoto" <jkumamoto@aol.com>
Date: 4/2/17, 5:13 PM
To: ellenendo@yahoo.com; megan.teramoto@lacity.org
CC: ELopez@centralcityeast.org; miguel@artsdistrictla.org; nate.hayward@lacity.org

Hi All,

Thanks Nate, enjoyed getting together with everyone and sharing our thoughts. We'll need to remember that the current Little Tokyo/Arts District Station will be demolished once the Regional Connector Station is open. The Regional Connector trains will pop up north of Temple. Another thought, the Chinatown Station mezzanine level was build so that it could connect with North Broadway. When it was designed, there was a potential plaza designed so that you could walk from North Broadway to the mezzanine level of the Station. When the parking lot was built there wasn't money to build up to the mezzanine, but we might want to consider something similar for the stations along Alameda. Also, METRO just opened the underground walkway downtown. I was invited to the opening but had a conflict, I may need to go over to take a look.

Joanne

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To: megan teramoto <megan.teramoto@lacity.org>
Cc: Estela Lopez <ELopez@centralcityeast.org>; Miguel Vargas <miguel@artsdistrictla.org>; Nate Hayward <nate.hayward@lacity.org>
Sent: Wed, Mar 29, 2017 4:53 pm
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Thank you, Megan. Jist is fine with me. If it's okay, I would like to invited Joanne Kumamoto, who co-chairs our BID and is well versed in transportation issues.

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Hi Everyone,

Just confirming the meeting for this Friday(3/31) at 8:30am. Would everyone be able to meet at Jist Cafe on Judge Aiso St.? If anyone has any other suggestions then feel free to throw it out there.

Thanks!

On Sat, Mar 25, 2017 at 8:00 AM, Ellen Endo <ellenendo@yahoo.com> wrote:

We had the presentation on March 15. Our experience is the same as Miguel's. The Little Tokyo BID took no action but the questions asked by stakeholders revealed they are skeptical mainly because they've been through years of disruptions, unfulfilled mitigations, street closures, etc.

Ellen

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On Friday, March 24, 2017, 11:15 PM, Estela Lopez <ELopez@centralcityeast.org> wrote:

Thanks. That's exactly what I wanted to know. They're coming to me on Tuesday.

Have a great weekend.

From: Miguel Vargas [mailto:miguel@artsdistrictla.org]
Sent: Thursday, March 23, 2017 4:15 PM
To: Estela Lopez <ELopez@centralcityeast.org>
Cc: Nate Hayward <nate.hayward@lacity.org>; Ellen Endo <ellenendo@yahoo.com>; megan teramoto <megan.teramoto@lacity.org>
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Estela,

The presenters explained that they were in the "Project Awareness Stage" of their project. They gave an overview and asked community members to start thinking about what alignment might make the most sense. They said they would come back later with more details. No action was taken. Let me know if you need any more information.

Best,

On Thu, Mar 23, 2017 at 10:49 AM, Estela Lopez <ELopez@centralcityeast.org> wrote:

Everyone, Metro is doing their presentation to our BID board on Tuesday. Didn't they already do Little Tokyo and Arts? If so, did you guys listen and take no action OR did your Boards provide specific feedback/recommendations? It would be helpful for me to know as we head into our conversation with them on Tuesday.

Thanks.

And I can do 3/31 at 8:30.

Cordially,

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From: Nate Hayward [mailto:nate.hayward@lacity.org]

Sent: Wednesday, March 22, 2017 2:40 PM

To: Miguel Vargas

Cc: Ellen Endo; megan teramoto; Estela Lopez

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How about next Friday at 8:30AM?

On Wed, Mar 22, 2017 at 2:05 PM, Miguel Vargas <miguel@artsdistrictla.org> wrote:

Did we settle on a time? I know 8:30 is very early, how later in the morning?

On Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 3:00 PM, Miguel Vargas <miguel@artsdistrictla.org> wrote:

Does 8:30 work or is that too early?

On Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 12:49 PM, Nate Hayward <nate.hayward@lacity.org> wrote:

Haha, sorry!!! We can do coffee or breakfast if you all like - it's on me!!

On Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 12:46 PM, Ellen Endo <ellenendo@yahoo.com> wrote:

Yes, you are bad. Thank goodness we like you so will keep Wednesday morning, April 5, open.

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Sent: Tuesday, March 21, 2017 10:26 AM

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Hey all,

I'm bad, sorry! Can we do Wednesday the 5th in the AM at City Hall?

On Tue, Mar 21, 2017 at 10:18 AM, megan teramoto <megan.teramoto@lacity.org> wrote:

Good morning,

Our office would like to set up a meeting with all of you to discuss the West Santa Ana Branch Corridor. We would just like to better understand what everyone's opinion is on this matter and to gain your input so we can all be on the same page.

Is everyone available to meet on Thursday, 3/30 at 4pm at City Hall?

Please let me know.

Best,
Megan

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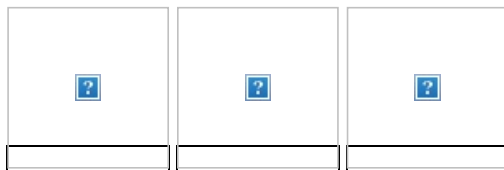
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